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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Tsien et al. Art Unit: 1624  
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Title: BETA-LACTAMASE SUBSTRATES HAVING PHENOLIC ETHERS

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on January 15, 2004, entry of the amendments and reconsideration of the application in view of the following remarks are respectfully requested.

**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8**

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, **June 15, 2004**, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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